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To change the title of your "Bibliography" to read "References" instead, insert the following lines of code into your LaTeX file, before the \begin{document} command:

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\makeatletter
\def\thebibliography#1{\chapter*{References\@mkboth
     {REFERENCES}}\list
     {[\arabic{enumi}]}{\settowidth\labelwidth{[#1]}\leftmargin\labelwidth
     \advance\leftmargin\labelsep
     \usecounter{enumi}}
     \def\newblock{\hskip .11em plus .33em minus .07em}
     \sloppy\clubpenalty4000\widowpenalty4000
     \sfcode`\.=1000\relax}
     \makeatother
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The above code will work for report and book documents: in the case of article, the "chapter*" should be changed to "section*"

You can also change the title to something other than References, by changing all three occurences of the word to be whatever you want.